THE EVENING NEWS.

THIRD YEAR—NO 909 | BENTON HARBOR, MICH., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1898. | TWO CENTS.

A large bankrupt stock of SHOT GUNS and RIFLES of all kinds for sale at

JACKSON'S
GUN STORE

108 Water street, Benton Harbor, Mich.

Remember that I keep all kinds of hunting fishing and sporting goods on hand and that I will not be undersold by any dealer in Southwestern Michigan. Winchester repeating rifles all sizes at $10, $11 and $14 each: see the old and new models. Quackenbush 22 calibre and other target guns: Winchester repeating shot gun, 6 shots, at $17; one Parker Bros. double barrel shot gun, second-hand at $17.50 and 1 have double barrel breech loading shot guns, both 10 and 12 guage at $7, $9, $11 and $12 each: single barrel breech loaders, both new and second hand at $5, $6 and $7 each: muzzle loading shot guns at the lowest prices, loaded paper shells 12 and 16 guage, a leader at 35 cents per box. I have the Quick shots, Rivals and U. M. C. in large stock, so that you can be suited on shot sizes: a full and complete line of Winchester, Colts and Marlin rifle cartridges at winning prices: 26 different sizes of revolver cartridges. B. B. Floberts and Blanks, Lalin & Rand's shot gun: rifle and blasting powder, smokeless powder for rifles and shot guns: shot gun fixtures: brass shells, loaded and unloaded; buck, common shot and bar lead: reloading tools for rifles and shot guns, cartridge belts and shell bags, hunting coats, vests, and hats, canvas game bags and belts for hunters, powder flasks and shot pouches: primers, snipe, turkey and duck calls, shot gun shells, loaded with smokeless powder: bowie knives and knives for hunters, pasteboard and felt wads, waterproof and G. D. gun caps. All kinds of new and secondhand revolvers. My leaders are 22 rim fire at $1.50, 32 and 38 center fire at $1.50. These guns are all of the Bulldog pattern and they are all right. I am selling today the 32 and 38 center fire both blue and nickel, 5 and 6 shot rubber handle rifle barrel, fluted cylinder, break down, shell ejector, 4½ inch barrel, Smith & Wesson pattern for $3.75. You can have a large stock of Iver Johnson Harrington & Richardson to select from. And how is that for a leader on guns? Holsters for revolvers and cases for guns and rifles, dark lanterns for coon hunters and New-house traps for trappers: compasses boxing gloves, iron and maple dumb bells, punching bags, foot balls, all kinds and sizes sling shots, billies, and knuckles, dog chains, collars and muzzles.

All Kinds of Shot Guns and Rifles To Rent by the Day or Week.

See my Marlin safety rifles of all sizes, air rifles and B. B shot for air rifles, sling shots, rubbers and anything that will shoot, you will find it at Jackson's. One 7x7 and 1 7x9 wedge tents for sale cheap. If you have got a good rifle, shot gun or revolver and want to sell it I will buy it.

Unredeemed Gold and Silver Watches of All Kinds.

Seventy-seven solid gold rings, banjoes, guitars and violins at ½ first cost. Trading men look over my watch stock. I can always stock you up on bargains I have dealt in fishing, hunting and sporting goods in Benton Harbor for years. I buy cheaper than any other dealer and I will not be undersold. SECOND-HAND BOOKS WANTED. I do not handle school books. After November 1st I will pay the best market price for all kinds of raw furs, and remember that I loan money on all kinds of personal property, and I always have about 14 wagon loads of second-hand truck of all kinds for sale.

CHAS. A. JACKSON

Dealer in Almost Everything.

IS INCREASING.

The Illness Among U. S. Troops in Porto Rico.

Ponce, Sept. 9.—Illness among the United States troops stationed in this province is rapidly increasing. More than twenty-five recruits are unfit for duty and in some commands more than thirty per cent are down with malaria.

Fully a thousand are in the hospitals suffering with typhoid fever. Considering the conditions the percentage of deaths is small.

Postponed.

The Hinkley case which was set in Justice Kimball's court this morning was adjourned until September 20.

We buy, sell or exchange anything at the Yellow Front Bargain store.

THE RECRUITS CAME HOME THIS MORNING

The recruits of the 33d Michigan who left Benton Harbor June 17 in company with Sergeant John Bell returned home this morning. They came on different roads and as their coming was not announced they were not met at the station. The boys look as though they had seen a hard campaign. While they did not see active warfare they were given forced marches and "seasoned" to stand battle anywhere.

The following recruits returned:

A. L. SMITH,	HARRY RUFUS,
W. A. HURLESS,	HYLAND WRIGHT,
FRED MURSCHEL,	DIM WHEELER,
ARCHIE E. WRIGHT,	WILLIS W. WORICK,
ALLEN RACKLIFFE,	WALTER E. WRIGHT,
WILL CAMERON,	ALMODOURS BERGERON,
DURLIN WHEELER,	ROBERT WILLIS,
CHARLES KRUGER,	R. H. STEAD,
JOHN SCHAIRER,	W. O. STRAUSER,
EDWARD HAWKINS,	WALLACE HANOVER.

Of this number Private Smith was not a recruit. He went out with the original Alger guard but when Company I was ordered to Cuba he was sick with malarial fever and left behind with the recruits.

CASE IS SETTLED.

Street Railway Won't Get Receiver.

Stockholders Have Sold Their Stock.

Stricken from the circuit court calendar today was the case of Eugene Cary and others asking for a receiver for the St. Joseph and Benton Harbor street railway company.

The complaining stockholders who put $20,000 cash in the road and received no dividend through this case started by Gore & Harvey have been enabled to find a purchaser for their stock. The railroad company, more properly, found the purchaser and in this way the case was settled.

The company will not have a receiver.

WERE IMPRESSIVE

Services at the Burial of Gen. Wheeler's Son.

Montauk, Sept. 9.—The body of Gen. Wheeler's son was taken to Long Island city this morning and the funeral services were held in Gen. Wheeler's headquarters.

The services were very impressive. The general hid his face in the flag which draped his son's coffin and wept.

LEFT FOR HOME.

Several Companies Sailed from Ponce Last Night.

Washington, Sept. 9.—Gen. Wilson wired the war department this morning that Companies F, G, and H of the 2d Wisconsin, Battery A, 1st Illinois, one company of the 1st District of Columbia, Battery C, Pennsylvania and several unattached officers and men sailed last night from Ponce for the United States.

APOLOGY.

Why the Recruits Were Not Met.

C. J. Peck, chairman of the citizens' committee, has issued the following notice:

To the soldiers who arrived from Island Lake this morning on the early train. The citizens' committee of Benton Harbor would say that the people of this vicinity feel a sense of pride and a debt of gratitude so great toward every soldier who left this locality that the account perhaps can never be balanced. Not only does that feeling extend to the heroes of Santiago, but the recruits who have spent so many tedious days at Camp Alger as well, and the only reason they were not given a royal reception on their arrival was because of a misunderstanding of dates.

G. A. R. OFFICERS.

Veterans Completed Election Of Officers Today.

Cincinnati, Sept. 9—The G. A. R. finished electing officers today. The list of the officers are as follows: Commander-in-chief, Gen. Dan Sickles: vice commander, W. C. Johnson, Cincinnati: junior vice commander, Daniel Ross, Delaware: surgeon general, Dr. R. A. Pierce, Nebraska.

Now Are Home.

Niles Star, Thursday: Chas. Loeffler and O. D. Wheeler of St. Joseph and H. S. Beals of Benton Harbor, members of Co. I., 33d Michigan regiment, who were left behind in Long Island hospitals arrived in the city this afternoon and took the Big Four train for home. Loeffler had with him a four-inch Spanish explosive shell that attracted much attention at the depots.

Everybody should go to the Yellow Front Bargain store.

Senator Gray Accepts.

Washington, Sept. 9.—The assistant secretary of state announced this forenoon that Senator Gray had finally decided to accept a peace commissionership. It is stated that Gray's successor on the joint Canadian commission will be ex-Senator Manderson, of Nebraska.

For bargains in everything go to Yellow Front Bargain store.

Couldn't Be In Two Places at Once.

Doctor—Your wife must have chicken broth three times a day, and you must give her a spoonful of this medicine every hour during the night. Mr. Jackson (dubiously)—Wa'al, doctah, I doan' see how yo' expec' me toe pervide her wif chicken broff an' gib her dat medicine at de same time.

Wine from the Sahara.

Algeria now exports to France some 11,000,000 gallons of wine, as one of the results of irrigation which has reclaimed 12,000,000 acres of the land from the Sahara desert and filled it with beautiful and fruitful oases, whose area is extending yearly.

Needed Oiling.

From Judge: A bee, bussing very loudly, flew in at the open window. "My! his wings must be awfully rusty," exclaimed Nan. "Just hear how they creak!"

INQUIRY COURT.

Men Likely to Investigate War Matters.

Washington, Sept. 9.—The personnel of the court of inquiry to investigate the war department is already being discussed.

Among the names of those mentioned are those of Gen. John B. Gordon and Gen Scofield. It is said that Sec. Alger wrote his appeal for the investigation of his department at the request of the president.

VOTED DOWN.

G. A. R. Will Not Admit 1898 Soldiers.

Cincinnati, Sept. 9.—The Grand Army convention voted down the resolution to admit to membership the men who served in the Spanish-American war. Resolutions commending McKinley and Alger were adopted.

Powers After Turkey.

Canea, Sept. 9.—Foreign admirals will recommend to their governments that the Turkish troops be removed from Crete and that the powers appoint a governor.

BEE IN BONNET.

Gen. Miles Wants To Be President.

One of His Reasons for Whacking Away.

Washington, Sept. 9.—The return of Gen. Miles to the city has created a flutter of excitement and the sentiment is greatly divided as to whether Secretary Alger is wise in insisting upon a rigid investigation of the charges made against the war department. The officials are incensed against Miles for making so many public statements.

The sensationalists are busy spreading the report that Gen. Miles has political aspirations and wishes to be president of the United States.

Miles called at the White House this morning and was with the president for five minutes. It is said that the general merely called to pay his respects.

Fillipinos Start For Washington.

Hong Dong, Sept. 9—Three Fillipino delegates have left for the United States to discuss the claim of the Fillipinos with McKinley.

..FERRY & RAPP..

Busy . Department . Store

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Make More Room

For Fall and Winter Goods, and to make the next week an unusually busy week, we are willing to sacrifice as never before, and we will outdo all previous efforts by offering

Special Clearing Prices in Every Department of Summer Goods

Remnants and short lengths in all Wool Dress Goods at less than ½ regular price

About 1,000 yds. of those fine corded Dimities, worth 15 to 18c a yard, to close quick at 5c a yard.

A few spring Jackets at your own price.

Ladies Wrappers worth 75c to close at 49c.

Extraordinary Bargains in the Carpet Department.

New Dress Goods and Silks now on display, representing the very latest styles and weaves.

Our Cloak Department

Is full and complete, the styles and prices always right.

..The Grocery Department..

Special sale every day.

SATURDAY, ONE DAY ONLY

18 lbs. Granulated Sugar for $1.00.

ALGER GUARD GALLERY.

During the past week the most frequently mentioned member of Co. I, 33d Michigan, has been Sergt. J. R. Kramer, familiarly known as Roy Kramer.

Sergt. Kramer was left in Cuba after all the other boys were sent home. He was reported dangerously sick in a Cuban hospital and it was feared that he would answer the last roll call in Cuba and fill an unmarked grave. Congressman Hamilton received word from Secretary Alger Thursday afternoon that Roy was convalescent and had sailed for the United States September 6 and ought to be reach New York September 12.

SERGEANT ROY KRAMER.

Roy Kramer is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kramer of this city. He was born July 5, 1880, at Gates Mills, Ohio, and came here with his parents when three years of age. He was an original member of the Alger guard, was a corporal when the company left and was advanced to rank of sergeant on the train before Grand Rapids was reached.

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Is a pair of shoes that will wear properly, fit properly and show the proper style until they are worn out.

When you make an investment of this kind in footwear, it is money well invested.

Why not be wise and spend your money for shoes in the proper way?

Our new line of Men's Box Calf at $3.00 a pair is the satisfactory kind that will EARN every dollar you invest in them.

They will serve you faithfully, fit you properly and tell the world every day in the week that you are up-to-date in your dress.

What more can we offer you at the price?

Suppose you invest in a pair today and by so doing step into a good thing?

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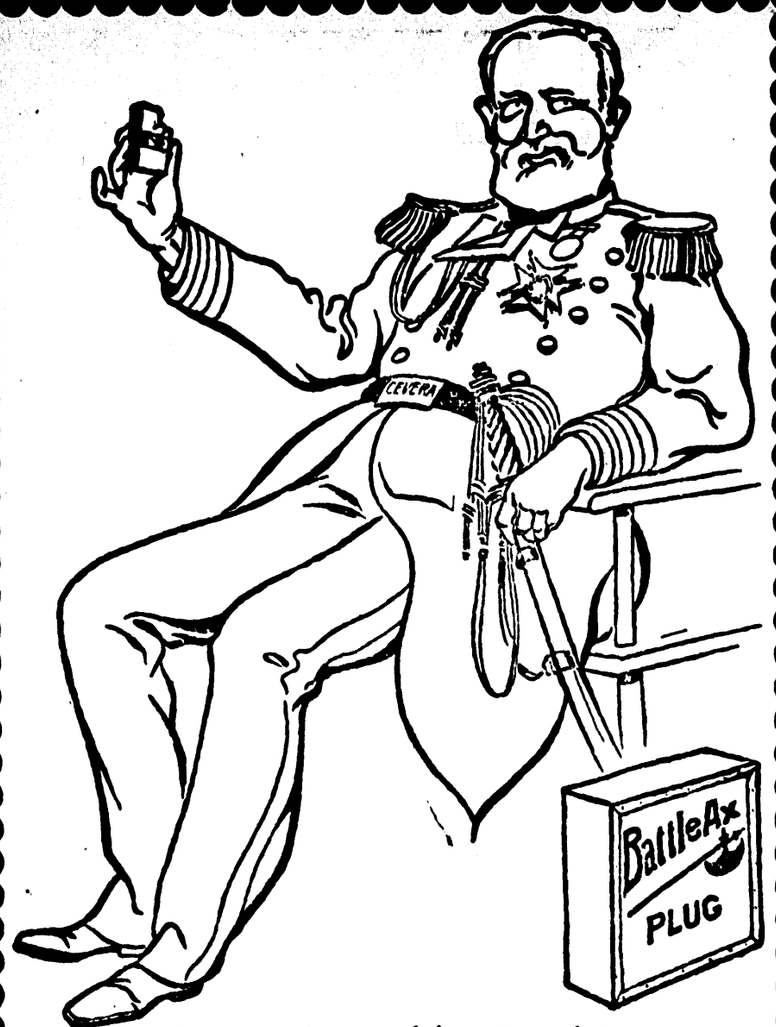


Columbus discovered America—but
I have discovered BATTLE AX!

There is a satisfied—glad I've got it—expression on the faces of all who discover the rich quality of

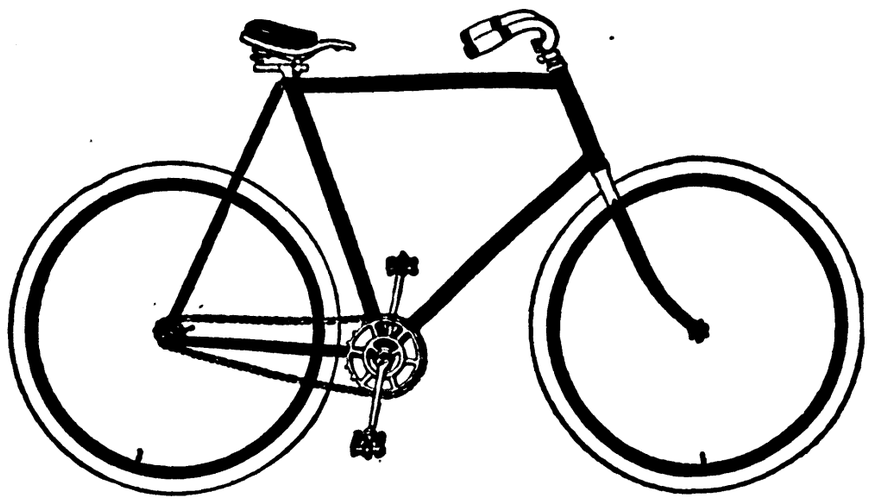
Battle Ax PLUG

It is an admirable chew fit for an Admiral.

In no other way can you get as large a piece of as good tobacco—for 10 cents.

Remember the name when you buy again.

SEE us before buying a new or second-hand bicycle...



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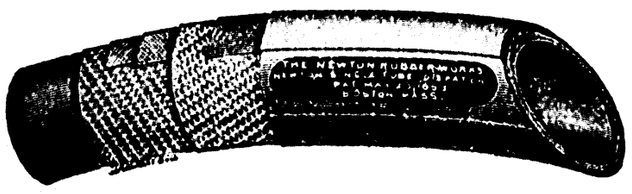

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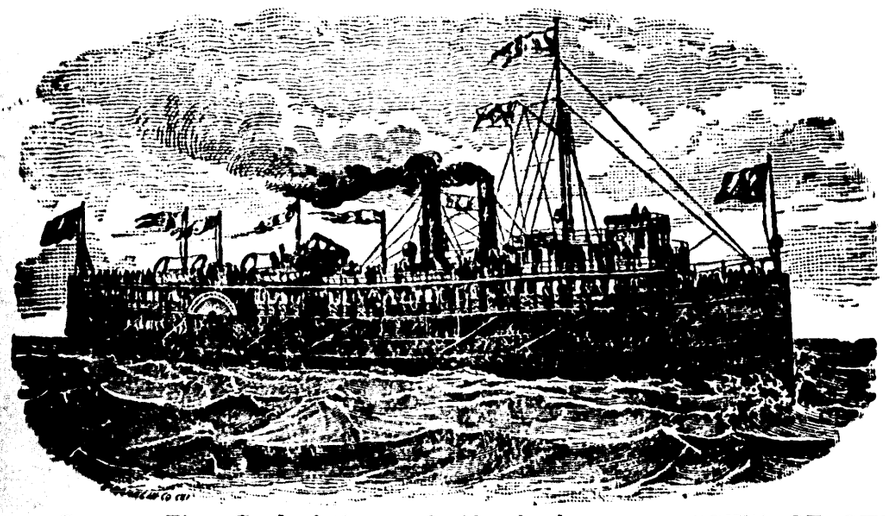

Summer Time Card of the steel side-wheel steamers "CITY OF CHICAGO" and "CITY OF MILWAUKEE" and the "CITY OF LOUISVILLE," running between Benton Harbor, St. Joseph and Chicago.

Leave Benton Harbor	Leave St. Joseph	Arrive Chicago		Leave Chicago	Arrive St. Joseph	Arrive Benton Harbor
9:00 p. m. daily Inc. Sunday	5:00 p. m. daily Sunday ex. 10:30 p m daily Inc. Sunday 6:00 p. m. Sunday only	9:00 p. m. daily Sunday ex. 4:00 a. m. daily 10:00 p m Sunday only		9:30 a. m. daily 11:30 p m daily Inc Sunday 10:00 a m Sunday only 2:00 p m Saturday only	1:30 p. m. daily 4:00 a. m. daily 2:00 p. m. Sunday only 6:00 p. m. Saturday only	5:30 a. m. daily 7:00 p m Saturday only

The right is reserved to change this schedule without notice.

Propeller "J. C. FORD" tri-weekly to Milwaukee, leaving Benton Harbor at 7:30 p. m., St. Joseph at 9 p. m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Leave Milwaukee at 8 p. m., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

DOCKS—
CHICAGO—Foot of Wabash Ave.
MILWAUKEE—South Water St.
ST. JOSEPH—E. A. Graham.
BENTON HARBOR—N. Water St.

J. H. GRAHAM, President.

INVESTIGATION.

Secretary Alger Wants One Held.

One Will Probably Be Ordered.

Washington, Sept. 9.—Secretary Alger has requested the president to order a thorough and searching investigation of the war department. In this request the secretary has been joined by Adjutant General Corbin.

No decision has been reached yet by the president as to what course he will pursue. He has the request of Secretary Alger under consideration, but has not yet determined whether he will grant it or not.

Secretary Alger had a long conference with the president last night before leaving the city and impressed upon him his earnest desire that an investigation such as he had requested be ordered. The question was thoroughly discussed in all its phases. Secretary Wilson participated in the conference and Adjutant General Corbin was present during a greater part of the time.

It seems now not unlikely that the investigation will be ordered but it is the wish of the president further to consider the matter before announcing a definite policy.

FIGHT ANYWAY.

Appendicitis Won't Keep Fitz Out the Ring.

New York, Sept. 9.—Bob Fitzsimmons, the champion pugilist of the world, has just recovered from a severe attack of appendicitis and is pale and weak but otherwise well physically. He did not undergo an operation.

He will attend the McCoy-Corbett fight and challenge the winner.

UNJUST.

Chaplain of Oregon Court Martialed for Telling the Truth.

Holland Sentinel: The Rev. Joseph P. McIntyre, chaplain of the Oregon, is about to be court martialed for criticising the officers in the battle with Cervera's fleet. The objectionable language was spoken in a lecture in Denver and was substantially as follows:

"And Sampson wrote a report of the battle and reported himself within four miles of the Christobal Colon when she pulled down her flag. He did that to get his share in the prize money. So Sampson will get $10,000 of prize money and Captain Clark, who fought the Oregon as vessel was never fought before, will get only $500."

The trouble is that most ministers have got into the habit of telling the truth, and this habit has got the chaplain into trouble. He doubtless told the truth—the exact truth—about Sampson, Captain Clark and the prize money. But no minister should bind his conscience and suppress his freedom of speech in the interest of truth and duty by placing himself under military authority.

BASE BALL.

Standing of the Clubs in National League Today.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston	77	42	647
Cincinnati	78	45	634
Baltimore	72	43	626
Cleveland	70	50	583
Chicago	67	54	554
New York	65	54	546
Pittsburg	61	62	496
Philadelphia	57	58	496
Louisville	53	72	424
Brooklyn	44	69	389
Washington	40	79	336
St. Louis	32	88	267

How Combs Are Made.

The cheapest combs are made from hoofs, but are subjected to costly and ingenious processes of manufacture. A circular saw cuts the horns in assorted sizes, the tips being used for the handles of knives and umbrellas. Very high degrees of temperature are necessary as the hoofs and horns have to be heated to make the fiber soft. When the pieces are cut they are placed between screwblocks and pressed flat. Acids are frequently used for staining an imitation of tortoiseshell, and this cannot be detected by a casual observer. The rough surfaces of the comb are smoothed by wheels covered by walrus skin. Polishing is the last process, which is done by wheels covered with leather of different degrees of softness.

Expressed Nautically.

From "On a Man-of-War": A certain admiral, upon coming on board a ship, was met by and old classmate with the salutation, "Hello, old fellow, how are you?" Observing that the admiral had carefully combed his back hair forward up and over, to cover the bald top of his head, added: "Well, that's the first time I ever saw afterguard doing foretop duty!"

Prevention Better Than Cure.

An Englishman visiting Sweden, noticing the care for neglected children, who are taken from the streets and placed in special schools, inquired if it was not costly. He received the suggestive answer, "Yes, it is costly, but not dear. We Swedes are not rich enough to let a child grow up in ignorance, misery and crime, to become afterward a scourge to society, as well as a disgrace to himself."

Great Success.

"How did the surprise party at the Cawkers' turn out? Was it a genuine surprise?" "Indeed, it was. Somebody had given the Cawkers a hint, and when we got there the house was dark and there wasn't a soul at home."—Harper's Bazar.

Hood's Pills

Best to take after dinner; prevent distress, aid digestion, cure constipation. Purely vegetable; do not gripe or cause pain. Sold by all druggists. 25 cents. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

DR. ARDON B. SPINNEY
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ALSO PROPRIETOR OF
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THE OLD RELIABLE SPECIALIST.

Crowned with 38 years of unparalelled success in this state in treating NERVOUS, URINARY, SEXUAL and all forms of CHRONIC DISEASES, will be in your town at the date, place and days named below, where parties can see him and receive consultation and advice free, and treatment if they desire, at the lowest rate of any specialist of his experience in the state. If you cannot be treated successfully at home he will tell you what he can treat you for at the Sanitarium, where you can receive the best of treatment at the lowest price of any sanitarium in the country.

Particular attention is given to the treatment of the following long standing diseases, viz.—Nasal CATARRH, Polypus, Mucous and Follicular Diseases of the throat, Foreign Growths in the Larynx, Laryngitis, Bronchitis, Bronchial Consumption, Spitting of Blood, Loss of Voice, Enlarged Tonsils, Incipient Consumption, Asthma, Diseases of the Heart, General Debility, Diseases peculiar to Women, Neuralgias, and all forms of Nervous Diseases, Diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Strictures, Constipation, Piles, Fissure, Fistula, Irritable and Indolent Ulcers, Hip Diseases, Scrofula, Blood and Skin Diseases, Surgical Diseases of all forms, the Eye, Ear, Face and Internal Organs, including Deformities, Club Feet, Cross-Eye, Tumors, Hair Lips, etc. Also Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Diarrhea and all forms of Liver, Stomach and Bowel Diseases.

YOUNG MEN led into evil habits, not knowing the harm, and now nervous wrecks unfit for study social pleasures or business, with loss of Memory, Headache, Weak Back, Palpitation, Red and Sunken Eyes, Pimples, Tired Mornings, No Ambition, Aversion to Society, Dreams and Losses, Deposits in the Urine, which is passed too often, sometimes smarting, Milky Urine, Kidney Trouble, Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Stricture, or any Disease of the Sexual System, can here find a safe and speedy cure. Charges reasonable, especially to the poor. CURES GUARANTEED.

THE SIGNS of SYPHILIS are Blood and Skin Diseases, Painful Swellings, Bone Pains, Mucous Patches in the Mouth, Hair Loose, Pimples on the Back, and warty growths. These cured for life without the use of injurious drugs.

VARICOCELE, PILES, etc., CURED AT ONCE.

HAVE YOU the seeds of any past disease lurking in your system? IMPOTENCY, or Loss of Sexual Power, and do you contemplate MARRIAGE? Do you feel safe in taking this step? You can't afford to take any risk.

We cure all such cases by building up the system and purifying the blood.

☞ Remember, all who are poor and have no money, with which to pay, will receive ONE MONTH'S MEDICINE FREE!

Those unable to call should write particulars, inclosing stamp, and receive question list.

Thousands cured at home by correspondence. Write us and if the case is one that can be treated at home, we will do so.

Consultation free. Our honest opinion always given, and good, honest, careful treatment given to every patient.

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REED CITY SANITARIUM,
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DR. SPINNEY WILL BE AT HOTEL
BENTON,
Friday Afternoon and Ev'ning Until 8:00 p. m., Oct. 7.

Chicago Excursion on Saturday, September 17.

On above date the West Michigan Ry will sell tickets from Benton Harbor to Chicago and return at $1.50 good going on 10:53 a. m. train and returning on regular trains leaving Chicago until Monday 7:20 a. m. Think of it, from 2:10 p. m. Saturday until Monday morning in the most delightful city in the west, for such a nominal railroad fare. You must go.

GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A.

"Walker's Peach" is the cigar to smoke. 26t906

Ralph Benton at Baker's hardware store cleans gasoline stoves. tf846

What is nicer for a wedding or birthday present than an artistic picture, artistically framed? Rice has them.

Eastman Springs Water.

Eastman Springs water delivered at 5 cents per gallon. Leave orders at Adams Express office, in A. S. Miles' shoe store, 129 Pipestone street, phone 16. 790tf R. E. AYERS, Agent.

For broken surfaces, sores, insect bites, burns, skin diseases and especially piles there is one reliable remedy, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. When you call for DeWitt's don't accept counterfeits or frauds. You will not be disappointed with DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.

Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c, $1. All druggists.

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Old papers for sale at this office.

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This great remedy CURES all Nervous Diseases such as Weak Memory, Loss of Brain Power, LOST MANHOOD, Nightly Emissions, Evil Dreams; and strengthens the Generative Organs of either sex that may be impaired through youthful errors, which soon lead to Consumption and INSANITY. Sold with a guarantee to cure, or money refunded. $1 per box six for $5. Easily carried in vest pocket. Write us for FREE BOOK and TESTIMONIALS. Ask our Druggists for them, take no other.—Or address NERVE DROP CO., GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. For sale by J. A. SHEFFIELD & SON, Druggists 111 Pipestone St., Benton Harbor, Mich.

Practical Lesson ...IN... Money Saving and Economy

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Glassware and Lamps

Notice the following:

Regular 40c doz. plain tumblers, each..... 2c

Regular 60c doz. tumblers, band or engraved, each..... 3c

Regular $1 and $1.50 per doz. thin blown banded or etched tumblers, each 5c

Celery stands and trays, reg. 25c goods, each 9c

Water pitchers, 25 and 40c goods, each.... 11c

High foot bowls, for fruit or salad, regular 40 and 50c goods, each.... 17c

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Caterers to Those Who Want the Best.

A Telephone Is Not a Luxury

You need a telephone in your place of business and ought to have one in your residence. In this age the 'phone is not a luxury but a necessity. The Twin City Telephone Co. is ready to serve you and give you the best service enjoyed by any town in the state. Call up the central office and the company will tell you about it : : : : : : ;

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CHILL FOR BURROWS

How Blakeslee Failed of Endorsement...

Full Text of the Resolutions Passed...

Niles, Sept. 9.—The hopes of Senator Burrows to capture the votes of the Berrien county senator and representatives were blasted by the action of the republican convention yesterday.

Berrien county belongs to the old district that Mr. Burrows for years represented in congress and the votes of the county have always been considered as Mr. Burrows' property by the right of discovery.

The committee on resolutions, of which Charles N. Sears of Benton Harbor was chairman, ignored Burrows altogether. Instead of mentioning his name and praising his work in the senate the resolutions merely praised the "patriotism" of the two Michigan senators. The friends of Mr. Burrows had arranged an auxiliary resolution in case the committee failed to tie the convention to Burrows but after talking with the delegates they decided it best to leave the resolution unintroduced.

Personally there is no stronger man with Berrien county republicans than State Senator E. A. Blakeslee, but the convention refused to endorse him for other than personal reasons. One of these reasons is that it was the general talk of the delegates that Blakeslee was for Burrows. Another reason was the fear that he is not heart and soul in favor of a readjustment of the tax system in the state whereby the railroads and other corporations will be made to pay their just share of government.

Senator Blakeslee voted for the Atkinson bill at the special session, while at the regular session he was with the railroad senators. When he voted for the reform he made an apology for his vote and the resolutions passed took him to task for this apology as follows: "We demand the immediate enactment of such laws as may be necessary to compel all persons and corporations engaged in business within this state to contribute their just and equal shares toward the burden of taxation and demand that our senator and representatives contribute by their votes and zealous co-operation to this end without equivocation, excuse or APOLOGY."

Another report was industriously circulated to the detriment of Senator Blakeslee. The North Shore limited on the Michigan Central cannot be induced to stop only at schedule points not even if a doctor were needed at an off station to save a life. This train never stopped at Galien until Mr. Blakeslee became senator and now it stops—or did until taken off a couple of weeks ago—whenever Mr. Blakeslee wished to take it The combined effort of all the citizens of Galien could not induce the train to stop but it would stop anytime for the senator even if he were going no farther than Niles. A senator under such obligations to the railroad, it was urged, would not be of any assistance in passing the Atkinson or a similar bill. To work for Pingree and Blakeslee was looked upon as neutralizing one's work.

The resolutions as reported contained no reference to the state senator and F. M. Gray of Niles offered the following amendment to the resolutions as offered:

Resolved, It is the sense of this convention that the delegates here elected should endeavor to secure by all honorable methods the renomination of Hon. E. A. Blakeslee as state senator.

The committee on the order of business had wisely gotten in their work but it was not apparent until now. The order was to first elect the delegates and the resolutions were the last thing on the program. The delegates had now been elected and to instruct after the election simply horrified the men elected.

E. F. Platt of St. Joseph was the first to offer objections, and he was followed with trip-hammer rapidity by Judge King of Sodus, Editor Merchant of St. Joseph, Benjamin Franklin Earl of Niles and C. N. Sears of Benton Harbor. C. M. Van Riper of St. Joseph stated that he was willing to be bound hand and foot to Blakeslee. H. B. Volheim saw the matter was getting rather warm and he moved to table the amendment. Mr. Gray by request of Mr. Blakeslee withdrew the amendment.

After the close of the convention Hon. E. L. Hamilton was brought in the hall and made a rousing little speech. He captivated the delegates by his eloquence and there was a mighty cheer when he closed.

THE RESOLUTIONS.

Text of the Resolutions Offered by Committee.

Following are the resolutions offered by the committee and they were passed without the addition of a dot to an "i" or the taking of a cross from a "t:"

The republicans of Berrien county in convention assembled congratulate the nation upon its magnificent achievement under the wise and patriotic policies of the republican party. Its most signal triumphs, both in peace and in war, since the organization of the party have been won under its rule.

We heartily approve and endorse the administration of President McKinley. His efforts to avert hostilities with Spain and gain the desired end through peaceful means, earn for him approval of all good men and were wise and right when war became inevitable. His quiet, resolute, vigorous actions demonstrated his thorough comprehension of the nation's needs and wishes and when the power of the enemy had been crushed and terms of peace were asked, his magnanimity and sense of justice stood forth typifying the noblest traits of our American character and commending the respect and approval of the civilized world.

We welcome the return of peace and express our gratitude and thanks to the brave men of the army and navy who have maintained the honor of our flag and again proved to the world the quality of American patriotism.

We extend a joyous welcome to our returning Berrien county boys who have gained the highest honors among the volunteer troops.

We express our perfect confidence in the administration to wisely and justly conclude terms of peace having a regard for the welfare of the inhabitants of the conquered territory and the best interests of our own people.

We endorse the present state administration, Michigan's prompt response to the president for troops and the attention given, zealous and patriotic interest manifested by our honored and patriotic governor, Hazen S. Pingree to the details of equipment and training and his constant solicitude for the health and comfort in camp or field are a source of pride to our people. He stands alone among the governors of the states as having by his own means and personal expense provided suitable clothing and hospital supplies, food and medicines for the Michigan boys in camp and in field.

We demand the immediate enactment of such laws as may be necessary to compel all persons and corporations engaged in business within this state, (except such fraternal and other associations as are now expressly and justly excepted from taxation by law) to contribute their just and equal shares toward the burden of taxation and demand that our senator and representatives contribute by their votes and zealous co-operation to this end, without equivocation, excuse or apology We demand that our senators and representatives who may be nominated and elected from this district, shall give their hearty, united and undivided support to legislation upon the lines and objects sought to be obtained in the bill submitted in the last legislature of this state, known as the Atkinson bill.

We heartily endorse the wise, efficient, zealous and patriotic efforts of our representative in congress, Hon. E. L. Hamilton. He has already by his ability and energy won a high place in the recognition of the people throughout the whole country and his speeches in congress upon important questions are today sent forth by the national republican committee as masterpieces of logic and eloquence upon the vital issues of the day. Nor has he forgotten the pensioners and the widows and orphans of the civil war, but his record in their behalf stands second to none in our national congress.

We commend the zeal and efforts of our senator and representatives from this district and wish them success in their efforts in the future and in the accomplishment of such work as shall redound to the interest of the people of this state.

We endorse the patriotism of our United States senators in congress.

We endorse the business like administration of Hon. Roscoe D. Dix, auditor general of this state.

We endorse the good work done in behalf of education through the efforts of our present member of the state board of education, Hon. Eugene A. Wilson of Benton Harbor.

A Strong Nation is made up of strong men and healthy women, and health and strength are given by Hood's Sarsaparilla, America's Greatest medicine. Get only Hood's.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Easy and yet efficient.

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WAS IDEAL.

Hon. George W. Bridgman As Chairman.

County Committee Elects New Chairman.

Hon. George W. Bridgman made an ideal chairman of the republican county convention and his address before the convention was excellent. In the NEWS report of his address he was reported as charging the democratic party with making 1,000 graves in Cuba. This was incorrect. What Mr. Bridgman did charge was that the calamity howlers who had been preaching revolution unless the republican party was defeated were responsible.

The county committee held a meeting the after convention yesterday and Henry L. Hess resigned as county chairman. He was succeeded by Hon. A. N. Woodruff of Watervliet.

Arrangements are being made for a grand mass meeting at Berrien Springs next Thursday to be addressed by Hon. E. L. Hamilton.

ARE HERE.

Insurance Men to Adjust the Loss on the City of Chicago.

C. B. Calder, superintendent of the Dry Dock Engine works at Detroit and W. Fletcher, jr., of Hoboken together with insurance adjusters are in the city to determine the extent of damage done to the steamer City of Chicago by the accident last Sunday night.

Mr. Calder, who is an expert in his line of business, says the accident to the Chicago was a very peculiar one and he cannot understand why it should happen.

New Drama.

"Yellow Jack in Cuba" is the name of a new four-act drama written by Charles W. Chase for Hettie Bernard Chase. The piece deals of the late war in Cuba and has several startling climaxes.

H. Jay Bernard of this city is getting out the special advertising matter and as soon as this printing is finished Mr. Bernard will join the Hettie Bernard Chase company in Texas.

Gents' bicycles at low prices at Yellow Front Bargain store.

Fingers Better Than E.

The manner in which the l. Dr. H. O. Coxe, librarian of the Bodleian library at Oxford for many years, discovered the falseness of the gospel manuscripts gotten up by Constantine Simonides, which deceived all the German professors, is told in the old gentleman's own words in a recent number of the Spectator. It was his delicate touch that helped him, as he did not look at a page of the manuscript He told the story as follows: "I never really opened the book, but I held it in my hand and took one page of it between my finger and thumb while I listened to the rascal's account of how he found this most interesting antiquity. At the end of three or four minutes I handed it back to him with the short comment: 'Nineteenth century paper, my dear sir,' and he took it away in a hurry and did not come again. Yes, I was pleased. But I have handled several ancient manuscripts in my time and I know the feel of old paper."

Filtering Milk Before Using.

Central depots where milk is received and filtered before being taken to the consumer are now a feature of several European cities. Large cylindrical vessels are divided horizontally near their center by compartments containing sand of three successive degrees of fineness, the coarsest being the lowest, and as the milk arriving from the country is poured through a pipe into the bottom of these vessels it rises through the sand filter and is run off by an overflow pipe into a cool cistern, from which it is drawn directly into locked cans for distribution. The sand is renewed each time the filter is used.

Nine Years to Walk Through London.

The largest city in the world is London, lying in four counties and having a population of 4,250,000, equaling the combined populations of Paris, Berlin, St. Petersburg and Rome. To walk through all the streets, avenues, lanes and alleys of the city, never traversing the same one twice, would require a ten-mile walk every day for nine years. The streets, placed in a row, would reach round the world and leave a remnant that would stretch from London to San Francisco.

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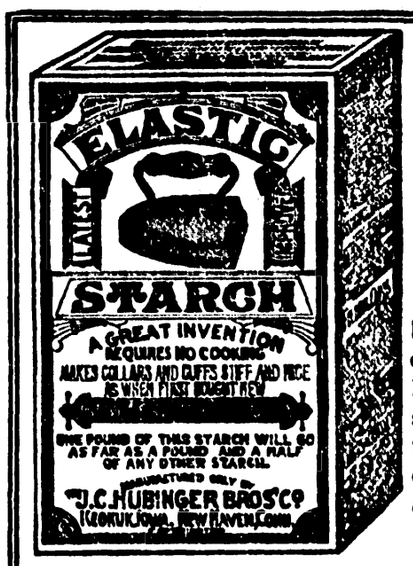

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TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 9, 1898.

As Senator Blakeslee is the personal choice of Berrien county republicans it is likely he will be renominated next week—provided all the while that he comes out square for the Pingree measures and makes suitable promises in regard to the United States senatorship.

IT looks as though the democrats had an "Uncle Jimmy" at Kalamazoo as well as the republicans. At least the democratic congressional committee—following the example set by the republican committee—held a meeting at Kalamazoo, which is outside of the district.

BENTON Harbor is proud of the recruits who returned this morning. In some respects it is harder to be a soldier when there are no battlefields in store. The brave recruits had no opportunity to display their heroism but they are heroes none the less. They responded and were ready for any service.

GOVERNOR Pingree was hissed from the platform at the G. A. R. encampment at Cincinnati. The governor said the sufferings of the soldiers in the present war was not due to any man but to the red tape system in vogue. "If Secretary Alger—" said the governor, but he never finished the sentence. The old veterans cried "Hurrah for Alger," and hissed the speaker down. Mr. Pingree left the platform and when quiet was restored the chairman finished Pingree's sentence, which was as follows: "If Secretary Alger had been given full power such things would never have happened." There were repeated cheers for the governor and calls for his return but he would not respond. The old veterans felt humiliated at their mistake.

Now is the time to sell or trade your stoves at Yellow Front Bargain store.

Praying for Maine Solons.

It was in Maine that an outspoken parson of the old school prayed: "Oh, Lord, have compassion on our bewildered representatives and senators. They have been sitting and sitting and have hatched nothing. Oh, Lord, let them arise from their nests and go home, and all the praise shall be thine."

A New Envelope.

An envelope for carrying merchandise through the mails is so constructed with reversible flaps and a stiffening strip attached to the closing flap that the inside of the envelope may become the outside, and the same envelope used to return mrchandise in the same manner in which it was forwarded.

The Highest Monument.

The highest monument in the world is in Washington, D. C. It was erected in honor of George Washington. It is 555 feet high, fifty-five feet square at the base, and contains 18,000 blocks of marble, two feet thick. In the interior is an elevator, and fifty flights of stairs, eighteen steps each.

Too Dear a Friend.

From Harper's Bazar: "Hawley," said Tomson to his most intimate friend, "I'll make a compact with you. You tell me my faults and I'll tell you yours." "My dear fellow," Hawley replied, "I can't. My voice always gives out after I've been talking six hours."

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LOCAL BREVITIES

SOUTH Haven excursion Sunday, Sept. 18. Fare for the round trip 35 cents.

THE attendance at the meetings at the Christian church is growing every evening.

THE NEWS office feasted on peaches today that were grown by H. S. Cone, of Fair Plain. They were extra large and choice.

ATTORNEY Sam H. Kelley found a pocket book on Michigan street this morning. Owner can have same by proving property.

THE big Twin City telephone pole in the alley near the Oak saloon has been moved six feet to accommodate a new stairway. The pole carries 120 wires.

SPECIAL meeting of the Court of Honor tomorrow evening at G. A. R. hall. Supreme Chancellor A. L. Hereford, of Springfield, Ill., will be present and desires all members to be present.

THE social crusaders organized a local society before leaving the city. C. E. Reeves is president and O. M. Southworth secretary. The society will meet tomorrow night to draft by-laws.

THE democratic congressional committee held a meeting in Kalamazoo the first of the week and after talking over plans for the campaign organized. E. E. Jarvis, of this city, was made chairman. Active work has already begun.

BENTON Harbor's new daily paper will be a morning paper sold at 2 cents. It will be published from the Colvin printing house in less than 60 days. Mr. Colvin says he has received much encouragement. The democrats want Mr. Jarvis to start a campaign daily.

AT the last monthly meeting held at Buchanan by the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance company the amount of property insured was $170,000. This company has been doing business about 38 years and the insured value of property now on its rolls is nearly $6,000,000.

AFTER the regular rehearsal of the Evening News newsboy's band last night the boys adjourned to Austin's resturant where a supper was awaiting them. The supper was given as a farewell reception to Will Woodruff and Edward Baushke, two members of the band who will leave next week for Orchard Lake where they will begin their studies in the Orchard Lake Military academy.

THE city of St. Louis, Mich., now claims the record: Leroy Holmes, aged 68, Wednesday night, married Olive Converse, aged 24. Thursday they dissolved partnership and divorce proceedings are talked of because of a fight between them, each wanted to be boss. Olive Converse is the daughter of Mrs. Philomela Converse, both of whom formerly lived in Sodus.

THE Berrien County Medical society held a meeting last evening at the office of Dr. John Bell, which was well attended. Dr. John Bell read a very interesting and practical paper on the "Summer Diseases of Childhood" and was followed by a discussion which took up the whole evening, leaving no time for anything else. It was one of the best meetings the society has ever held.

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Is Grading Her Pupils.

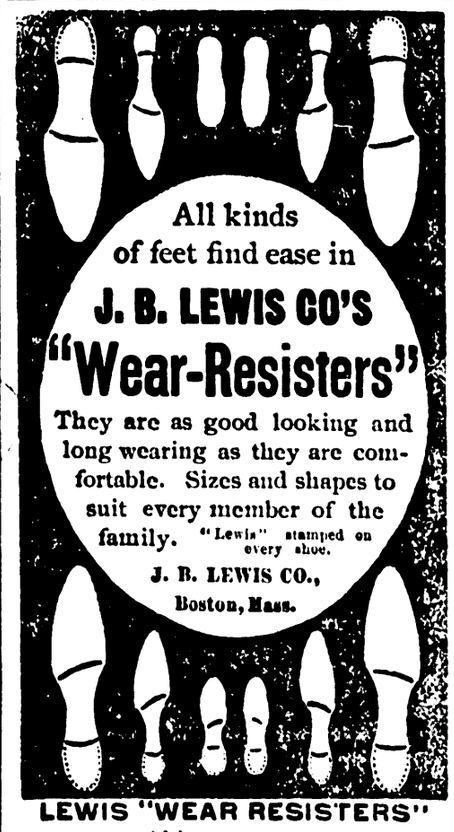
Mrs. F. B. Cary has just received a letter from Dr. F. Ziegfeld, president of Chicago musical college and after having spoken of the free scholarship given Miss Soule, of which mention was made in last night's paper, Dr. Ziegfeld says: "Miss Soule shows excellent training, thanks to your careful instruction. I have no doubt she will make her mark in the musical world if she has an opportunity of continued study."

Mrs. Cary is grading her pupils ready for the coming season's work. Those intending to study with her should make application soon as her time is being rapidly taken up. Business hours Saturdays and Wednesdays.

Royal Palace at Madrid.

The royal palace at Madrid is one of the most beautiful structures in the world, being built by an Italian architect in the early part of the last century, at a cost of $5,000,000, and was intended to be a rival to the French palace at Versailles. The material is white marble. It is 470 feet each way, with a court 240 feet square, roofed with glass. Few places are more tiresome to visit than palaces, with their long rows of gorgeously decorated chambers, gilt furniture and everlasting mirrors, but the Casa Real at Madrid is very interesting and contains a remarkable library of 100,000 volumes, also priceless papers, pictures, bronzes and marble.—International Magazine.

If you have anything to trade, buy or sell come to Yellow Front Bargain store.



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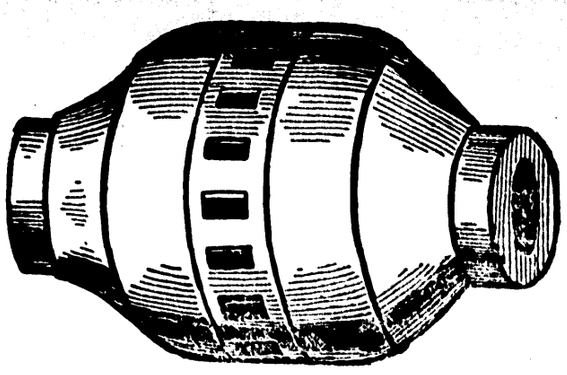
The  **Hub**

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Porto Rico, except for the prolongation of its northeastern end, would be almost a parallelogram in outline. As it is, it resembles very much a fat "porker" with its legs chopped off. East, west, north, south, its coast lines run almost as regularly as though projected by compass. Owing to the gentle dips of its thousand hills and the vast depths of soil in its fertile valleys every portion of this delectable island is cultivable from coast to mountain crests.

While Porto Rico has been of great value to Spain it is likely to be more important to the United States, if for no other reason because of its nearness. Such perishable products which rarely reach us now, as green cocoanuts, etc., the raising of which is profitable, can be brought to our markets on swift steamers and will find a ready sale.

It is easy enough to generalize and say this and that may be raised here and that generous nature brings forth her fruits spontaneously while indolent man reclines in a hammock and only opens his mouth to let them drop into it. In the main this may be true. Still, since all men are not vegetarians and cannot subsist on fruits alone, it will probably be found necessary to "hustle" for a living, here as elsewhere—that is, if one desires to live well.

And yet perhaps there is no country where man can live with less effort than in this island. Owing to its mountainous character, rising as it does to a height of 3,000 or 4,000 feet, there is every variety of climate here as well as of vegetation. In order to change from a climate with a mean of 70 degrees to one of 60 or less one merely climbs a mountain. One can change the summer climate of Florida to that of Boston or New York by ascending a few hundred feet above the coast.

So it is with the vegetation. Along the coast you find all that is rank and tropical, such as the mangroves, with their very feet in the salt water, overshaded by cocoa palms that will sometimes grow in barren sands. The jungles are dense, the rivers run through bowers of tropical plants, with wild plantains, bamboos and gigantic canes overhanging them. Not all the trees and productive plants are native here. For instance, there is the cocoa palm, which

THE GARDENS OF CASA BLANCA, SAN JUAN.

though a native of the East Indies has become as good as indigenous here. Fortunate, too, is this for the Porto Ricans, for there is scarcely a tree that grows with so many uses as this for man. The old resident of the island sends out his servant for a green cocoanut as soon as he is awake in the morning, and after an opening has been made as large as an old fashioned cent he pours into the cool water within a modicum of gin or native rum and drinks this concoction as an "eye opener." This water is even better without the addition of liquor.

A small black boy is usually the cup bearer, and the agility he displays in shinning up the cocoanut tree is only surpassed by his dexterity in clipping the husk to a point and leaving the water exposed without losing a drop. After that is imbibed he divides the shell, with a single blow of his rusty machete, and chipping a spoon from the husk hands both to his master, who proceeds to scoop out and devour the translucent jelly within.

So much for the nut when it is fresh. As a dried product it is shipped abroad, chiefly to the United States, to the extent of some 3,000,000 annually. This is no criterion of its abundance, for millions of nuts go to waste and millions more are used in the island in a green state. The cocoa palm is readily grown, and, though rather slow in coming to maturity, can be made a profitable adjunct to a plantation. It will grow in any soil, no matter how poor; but reaches perfection only at or near the coast, being a true lover of salt water. The tropical people have a saying that the cocoa palm will live a hundred years, will bear a hundred nuts annually and has a hundred uses for its owner. It would be impossible to enumerate its manifold uses to the poor people here, for they make culinary vessels from its nuts, beds and thatch from its husks and leaves, sieves from its inner bark, huts from rude boards into which its trunk is sawed, a peculiar tipple from its flowers, and finally, when the tree gets old, they cut it down and eat its terminal bud, as we would cauliflower.

And the cocoa is but one species of the palm tribe growing here almost spontaneously, for there are many others, some of them native to the island. There is the "gru gru," the seeds of which are good for fattening pigs, the exotic sago and areca palms, from the first of which sago and tapioca are made, while from the second is obtained the betel nut. The most beautiful of the lowland palms is that species so often seen in Cuba, called the royal, but it does not attain such a height as another of the family, the "oreodoxa," which frequently reaches 150 feet. This species also is noted for the flavor of its "cabbage," and notwithstanding its size and beauty is often cut down merely to obtain that bud to boil for a dinner. This "cabbage" is really the tip of the tree, which if left to develop would successively unwrap its folds to become leaves. It is tender and sweet, tasting something like boiled chestnut, and is a very welcome addition to a bill of fare. This is one of the natural products which every tramp in Porto Rico is entitled to if not too lazy to cut down the tree; but there is still another delicacy which surpasses this in flavor and is likewise free to all. This is a grub, or larva of the palm beetle, which burrows in the heart of the tree. As it gets to be two inches in length and is correspondingly fat, it is a most luscious morsel fried in palm butter, and is eagerly hunted by the epicurean native.

Next to the palms in abundance rank the bananas. If the latest statistics are reliable, only 200,000,000 bananas are annually shipped abroad, but it might just as well be 1,000,000,000. There is Jamaica, a sister island to Porto Rico, a little larger, but with similar soil, surface and climate. A few years ago it was languishing in the last stages of surfeit from an overproduction of sugar, which it could not sell at a price sufficient to pay for raising it. An enterprising Yankee from "Boston way" went down there, turned the matter over in his mind and started the people to raising bananas. The result has really been the salvation of Jamaica.

While the banana likes a rich soil and will grow on the levels as well as anywhere it can be cultivated on hillsides so steep that no plow can furrow them and where it would be impossible to raise sugar cane and other things with profit. Its sister, the plantain, is equally prolific, and both will practically renew themselves each year.

Another friend of the poor man is the indigenous manioc, which was found in cultivation by the natives when Columbus first arrived here in 1493. This is a tuber, which is roasted and grated, the flour being excellent when made into cakes, something like the Mexican tortillas, while the juice, though virulently poisonous in the crude state, is made innocuous by heating and forms the basis of the well known West Indian pepper pot called cassareep. And pepper pot, by the way, consists of whatever kinds of meat may be thrown into an earthen vessel from time to time—chicken, pork and the odds and ends of repasts—all of which are preserved and rendered delicious by the antiseptic cassareep.

Another indigenous product is maize, or Indian corn. It may be grown anywhere, but the upland regions are its home, as in Mexico and Central America. Wheat, oats, barley and other cereals of northern climes do not flourish here, all flour and meal being imported from the United States.

As an evidence of what may be found in the island in a half wild state and made quickly available for the inexperienced settler it may be mentioned that all vegetables grown in our southern states, as yams, sweet potatoes and okra, flourish. Oranges, limes and lemons grow without care and have not been considered important enough to merit attention, but soil and climate combine to produce the choicest varieties. Another fruit, held by some to be the most delicious in the world, is the pineapple, which is native here, being still known by its aboriginal name of "anana." Then there are numerous fruits rarely seen in the north, as the nispero, or sapodilla, the guava, which runs wild wherever old fields are found, and from which delicious jelly is made; the aguacate, avocado, sweetsop, sugar apple, star apple, acajou, granadilla, mango and various kinds of plums and grapes—in fact, every fruit found in subtropic regions. Potatoes will not grow at lesser elevation than about 2,000 feet, but above that altitude they do well. There also may be found field strawberries, though most small fruits and berries are not abundant.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Christian C. Potes to Lucretia M. Wiles, dated December 10, 1892, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for the County of Berrien and State of Michigan on December 12, 1892, in liber 56 of mortgages on page 385 There is claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of three hundred seventy-nine and 36-100 dollars and an attorney fee provided for therein and no suit at law or equity, have been instituted to recover said sum or any part thereof.

Therefore by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and the statutes in such case made and provided notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 29th day of November, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the City of St. Joseph, Berrien County, Michigan, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for Berrien County is holden) the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage with interest at seven per cent from date hereof and all legal costs together with an attorney fee provided for therein.

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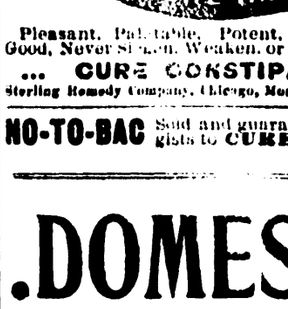

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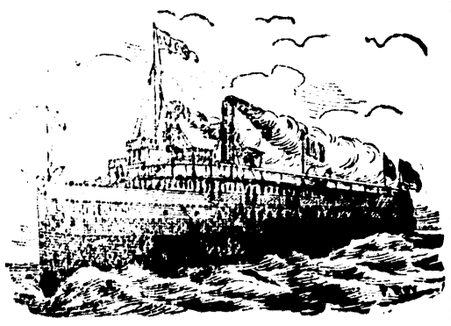

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Some Scope There For American Agriculturists.

THE FERTILITY OF THE ISLAND.

The Great Variety of Its Cereals, Fruits and Vegetables—Its Facilities For Raising Cattle, Horses and Hogs Described. The Heat a Great Drawback.

I.

The agricultural resources of Cuba are really astonishing when it is considered how slightly they have been developed. Of the 35,000,000 acres composing the island it is estimated that only 2,000,000 have been placed under cultivation. Amazingly fertile as it is, there is absolutely no limit to the possibilities of its production when the area of cultivation shall be fully extended. Doubtless at the present juncture many American farmers will be attracted to a field so vast and so promising as affording greater scope for their industry than can be secured at home. Should such be tempted thither some will no doubt succeed equal to their most sanguine expectations, but it is to be feared that the majority will be disappointed.

Though some of the cereals and vegetables raised in the northern portions of the United States can be grown in Cuba its agricultural products generally are different and are produced under

THE COCOANUT TREE.

circumstances which do not prevail in this country unless in the extreme southern sections. Different methods of agriculture must of necessity be adopted, and the excessive heat would be not the least of the disadvantages a northern farmer transported to Cuba would have to contend with.

In elevated tablelands and in mountain valleys wheat can be successfully grown, as indeed it can, though less plenteously, in other parts of the island, but the lack of railway facilities places a fatal bar against growing this grain for export or even for home consumption. That the island has capabilities so far as this cereal is concerned was evident for a long time, owing to a piece of paternal legislation on the part of Spain. This, it may be remarked, was thoroughly in keeping with her unvarying policy in fostering her colonies. Ignoring the duty she owed to her children in Cuba, the cultivation of wheat was prohibited there, so that the fields of the mother country might supply the colonists with bread. In consequence of this American wheat was often shipped to Cuba by way of Spain. It cost the Cubans much more to get it in this roundabout way, but the revenue of Spain was benefited. This was the all important consideration, for the Spanish in dealings with their descendants across the water never thought of the reciprocal duties involved in the relationship. When flour was sent from New York direct to the island, the tariff on it was $4.20 a sack of 200 pounds. This prohibition of wheat culture, with the inevitable increase in the price of bread, was one of the causes that led to the insurrection, which has resulted in the loss of Cuba and so much more to Spain.

But even under a milder rule and with freer advantages of trade it is doubtful if wheat will be produced in considerable quantities in Cuba, for the simple reason that sugar and other crops can be raised more profitably. For many years to come the island will probably be dependent upon this country for its supply of flour.

About Santiago as elsewhere throughout the island there are numerous cocoanut groves. The tree grows readily and speedily, and its nuts may be gathered cheaply, for agile Cubans climb up the smooth stems like monkeys and strip the tree of its fruit in a short time. Oranges of exquisite flavor grow spontaneously in all parts of the island, though no attention is paid to their cultivation for exportation. There are six kinds of bananas, and such delicious fruits as guavas, mangoes, zapotas, tamarinds, etc.

As an evidence of Cuba's great productive wealth may be cited a typical peasant's home and surroundings visited during the recently ended insurrection. The family consisted of a mother and her numerous offspring and an invalid husband. The family almost entirely depended upon the labor of a grown son for subsistence, which was obtained from the land, scarcely more than an acre of which was cultivated. Her land supplied her with all the necessaries of life excepting clothing and salt. Of the former the family required but little and wore less, and in cases of emergency a fair substitute for the latter could be obtained from the royal palm by a particular process of boiling. The products of her small farm as enumerated at the time consisted of coffee, sugar, molasses, beans, rice, honey, wax, sweet potatoes, yams, yuccas, bananas, corn, poultry, pigs, two cows, several horses and tobacco. The family could also raise its own cotton and make its own cloth, as was done by the aborigines, only that cotton spinning and weaving are lost arts in Cuba. Moreover all the vessels and utensils used by this family, with the exception of pots, were the product of the immediate neighborhood.

Nothing could perhaps better illustrate the variety and richness of Cuban productions than the foregoing example. Life under such circumstances presents few incentives for industry.

The vast expanses of natural pasture land in the island ought to prove a great attraction to farmers and others who have devoted much attention to the raising of cattle. But little attention was given by the Spanish government to this source of wealth, for Spain's political economy never consisted so much in a direct land tax as in a tax upon industry and commerce. Consequently a ranchman or a landed proprietor might be the owner of extensive pastures and large herds of cattle, but the government took no account of it until the owner began to dispose of his stock in the market.

With perpetual summer, or at least no snow and frost to constitute a winter as known further north, the cattle industry can be conducted at the minimum of cost. The stock never need housing, and the grass is as luxuriant in the winter months as in the summer time. Western men who fought in the ranks of the rough riders in Cuba were enthusiastic over the prospects it held forth for cattle ranches. During the insurrection the herds were greatly depleted by the Cubans, who slaughtered the cattle in many instances for the kidneys alone and left the rest of the carcasses to rot on the field.

During the occupation of Pinar del Rio by the insurgents it was a singular oversight on the part of the authorities that in attempting to starve the rebels out of that province they did not take into consideration the fact that myriads of cattle roamed over the grassy plains, and that the tree clad hills and valleys were alive with hogs, which furnished the insurgents with an unfailing supply of food.

The pasture lands north of Trinidad are so well adapted for the raising of horses that it was formerly a common phrase that even the beggars of Trinidad pursued their vocation on horseback. In the vicinity of Sancta Spiritus, extending eastward to the province of Santiago, are extensive prairies which furnish grazing for great herds of cattle. Some of them are without natural water supply, but they have been provided with enormous wells at intervals. These sometimes reach a depth of 300 feet, and the water is drawn by a noria, a device employed by the Moors when they occupied Spain. This consists of a large wooden wheel made to revolve by animal power, over which passes an endless belt, to which buckets are attached. The cattle ranges extend far across that part of Cuba termed Camaguey to Santiago province.

The mountains of Guantanamo, in the vicinity of Santiago, are considered the most productive coffee regions in Cuba. Coffee is grown in every part of the island. At one time it was as largely cultivated in the valleys and plains as is now the sugar cane, but at present most of the coffee raising is done in the district and neighborhood of Santiago and in the jurisdiction of Guantanamo. Land in this part of the island has been particularly cheap, and planters in consequence have found it to their advantage, as their old places became worn out, to sell them and remove to Guantanamo's beautiful hills, where the climate is healthful, the crops excellent and the land cheap.

Coffee culture in Cuba for various reasons has declined somewhat during the past quarter of a century. This has been due in some degree to the practically prohibitive tariff placed by the United States on Cuban coffee in favor of the Brazilian crop. Many who formerly planted coffee now raise sugar

ON A BANANA PLANTATION.

cane, partly because they can use in this way to greater advantage their large number of hands, and partly because of the uncertainty of the coffee crop, whose price varies from $3 to $30 per 100 pounds.

The coffee plantations in Cuba most noted for the richness and excellence of the bean are those situated on the range of mountains called the Sierra Maestra, in the vicinity of Santiago, in the Vuelto Abajo, and in the districts of Alquizar and San Marcos.

These plantations are known as cafetales. They are among the most extensive agricultural establishments carried on in Cuba. They vary in size from 100 to more than 1,000 acres. In the low country the number of hands is about 100 to a large plantation. The average elsewhere is about 50 negroes to every 1,000 acres.

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In effect June 19, 1898.

GOING SOUTH.

Stations	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Grand Rapids	2:45	7:30	3:40	6:25.
Benton Harbor	4:32	10:53	6:05	9:40.
St. Joseph	4:42	11:03	6:14	9:50.
Chicago	7:20	2:10	9:05	.....

GOING NORTH.

Stations.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.
Chicago	7:20	4:15	8:45	.....
St. Joseph	10:20	7:15	11:35	5:45.
Benton Harbor	10:30	7:25	11:42	5:50.
Grand Rapids	1:25	10:30	2:00	9:10.
	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.	a.m.

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VANDALIA LINE

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect June 19, 1898.

SOUTH BOUND

Stations	No. 3	No. 7	No. 15	No. 17
St. Joseph	10:25 a m	4:00 p m	5:20 p m	6:00 p m
South Bend	11:45	5:13	6:48	7:20
Plymouth	12:30 p m	5:57	7:33	8:10
Logansport	2:15	7:15	9:00	9:45
Indi'napolis	5:45			
Terre H'te.	6:40	11:00		

NORTH BOUND

	No. 16	No. 14	No. 20	No. 6
Terre H'te.			1:00 p m	6:17 a m
Indi'napolis			11:45 a m	7:10
Logansport	7:00 a m	6:05 a m	4:35 p m	10:40
Plymouth	8:24	7:34	5:57	12:08 p m
South Bend	9:10	3:20	6:39	12:53
St. Joseph	10:30	9:35	7:45	2:15

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TIME TABLE.

Effective Thursday, July 7, 1898.

GOING SOUTH.

Stations	No 1 Dly ex Sun	No 3 Dly ex Sun	No 5 Dly	No 9 Sun O'ly	No 11 Sun O'ly	13 Sun O'ly
	am	pm	pm	am	am	pm
Benton Harbor.	7 00	4 00	8 00	8 00	11 00	5 00
*Napier						
*Somerleyton	7 09	4 09	8 15	8 09	11 09	5 09
*Scotdale	7 11	4 12	8 20	8 11	11 11	5 11
*Royalton	7 14	4 16	8 25	8 14	11 14	5 14
*Hinchman	7 21	4 25	8 35	8 21	11 21	5 21
*Stemms	7 24	4 29	8 40	8 24	11 24	5 24
Berrien Springs	7 33	4 42	8 50	8 33	11 33	5 33
*Oakland	7 42	4 50	9 00	8 42	11 42	5 43
*Bainton's						
Buchanan	8 00	5 10	9 25	9 00	12 00	6 00

GOING NORTH.

Stations	No 2 Dly ex Sun	No 4 Dly ex Sat	No 6 Sat O'ly	10 Sun O'ly	12 Sun O'ly	14 Sun O'ly
	am	pm	pm	am	pm	pm
Buchanan	10 00	5 35	5 35	9 30	6 30	4 00
*Bainton's						
*Oakland	10 20	5 53	5 43	9 48	6 48	4 18
Berrien Spring	10 30	6 08	6 02	9 57	6 57	4 27
*Stemms	10 41	6 28	6 11	10 06	7 06	4 36
*Hinchman	10 45	6 36	6 14	10 09	7 09	4 39
*Royalton	10 54	6 43	6 21	10 16	7 16	4 46
*Scotdale	10 58	6 52	6 24	10 19	7 19	4 49
*Somerleyton	11 01	6 56	6 26	10 21	7 21	4 51
*Napier						
Benton Harbor.	11 10	7 05	6 35	10 30	7 30	5 00

*Flag stations.

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In effect July 31, 1898.

Leave Benton Harbor week days—5:50 a m 10:30 a m, 2:20 p m and 5:05 p m, except Saturday. Leave Paw Paw Lake—10:15 a m, 1:15 p m, 4:00 p m and 9:05 p m.

Leave Benton Harbor Sundays—5:50 a m, 10:45 a m, 2:25 p m and 6:05 p m. Leave Paw Paw Lake—9:30 a m, 1:15 p m, 5:00 p m and 9:05 p m

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Peace Commission Will Not Meet Until Next Week.

Washington, Sept. 9--The president's inability to secure a democratic member for the peace commission has caused a postponement of the meeting of commissioners for one week.

There is no longer any doubt that American commissioners will propose the appointment of a commission to consider claims filed by American citizens against Spain for injury to person or property during the war.

These claims aggregate about $20,000,000.

ST. JOSEPH.

Miss Belle Cleats of Chicago is the guest of relatives here.

County Clerk Needham is confined to his home today by illness.

Sheriff Ferguson went to Bridgman this afternoon on business.

Miss Ollie DeCanter will leave tonight for Chicago where she will visit relatives.

A small burglary was reported to the police yesterday from the residence of A. W. Wells. The police are working on the case.

A bicycle was found last night by Officer Russell and brought to the police station. Later in the evening it was claimed by W. Badour.

The summer resort season is about over and even the resorters who expected to stay in the city until September 15, are leaving for their respective homes on account of the cold weather.

A woman in an intoxicated condition was reported yesterday afternoon in the south part of the city and on the arrival of an officer she said she was endeavoring to get out of the city and she was allowed to go.

PICTURE OF MAUD.

Mascot of Company I Has Been Photographed.

Maud, the Mascot of Company I, has been photographed by J. N. Poundstone and photographs may be had at his studio. This is the only dog that went to Cuba with the soldiers. 6t909

Michigan Pensions.

Michigan applicants granted pensions Wednesday: Original—William J. Allen, Evart, $8. Widows—Mary J. Byrd, Cassopolis, $8.

Notice.

To whom it may concern: I wish to inform the party that borrowed the wood at Dr. G. M. Bell's last night that they need not come tonight as we have no more wood to spare. I will try and keep the balance of the wood under lock and key. R. H. JOHNSON.

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LOST—A RED COVERED POCKETBOOK containing pickle checks given by Squire Dispee company to Charles Christensen. Finder leave at George Butzbach's store and receive reward. 6t906

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE, 8 ROOM [illegible]

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Saturday. Probable frost tonight.

STREET FAIR.

Benton Harbor Will Have One This Fall.

A meeting will be held at Hotel Benton this evening in the interest of holding a street fair in Benton Harbor this fall.

Every business man interviewed is heartily in favor of it and the fair is already practically assured.

The matter is being worked up by George M. Edlof, the new bill poster and J. W. Deaner, proprietor of the Phoenix hotel.

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Hon. R. I. Jarvis left for Hastings last night, where he will speak this afternoon.

W. H. Watson, of Detroit, is in the city today on business.

Miss Kittie Gross left this morning for Ypsilanti to take a teacher's course at the State Normal.

Miss Lois DeLong arrived home last evening from Akron, O., where she has been spending the summer.

Mrs. J. Miller, who has been spending the summer with friends has returned to her home in Chicago.

Richard Hill, High street, who has been very ill with typhoid fever, has so far recovered as to be able to be out.

Miss Hazel Deaner of Wabash, Ind., will arrive this afternoon to spend a week with her grandfather, A. L. Tyer.

Miss May Godfrey left this morning for Yorkville, Ill., to resume her duties as teacher in the public schools of that place.

C. A. Leighton and wife will leave tomorrow to visit friends in Chicago and other points in Illinois. Mr. Leighton is an engineer at the electric power house and has not enjoyed a vacation for six years.

All on an Equality.

The teacher of a juvenile Sunday school class had been talking to her pupils about death and finished by asking: "Now, who can tell me when all men are equal and there is absolutely no distinction between the rich man and the poor man?" "I can," replied one little fellow. "When is it, Freddie?" she asked. "When they go in swimmin'," was the unexpected answer.

Hottest Region on Earth.

The hottest region on the earth is the southeastern part of Persia, where it borders the gulf. For forty consecutive days in July and August the temperature has been known not to fall lower than 100 degrees, night and day.

Innocence.

Mabel—Do you think the war will have any effect upon the price of candies? Jack—Wouldn't be surprised if it did. They say everything'll go up. Mabel—Then why don't you get a supply now?

Kissing Under the Mistletoe.

The practice of kissing under the mistletoe is of very ancient origin, as it dates from the days of the Druids, when, no doubt, it had a religious meaning.

Bridget's Elastic Quart.

"Begorra," said Bridget, as she opened a bottle of champagne for the first time, "the fool that filled this quart bottle must 'a' put in two quarts instid of wan!"—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Dr. Antisdale will be in Benton Harbor Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. Other days he teaches in the Chicago Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat college.

Bring everything, all your repairs to the Yellow Front Bargain store.

Special School Shoes for School Children...

Joseph Frick has the agency for the celebrated "Lewis' Wear Resisters" School Shoes. Genuine calf-skin shoes, which are waterproof and crack proof for boys and youths, at $1.45 and $1.65. "Seal Goat" and Box Calf Shoes for misses and children at $1.25 and $1.40. Try these shoes, one pair will last your child all winter. JOSEPH FRICK, 113 Territorial Street.

See the new fall dress goods at Enterprise Mercantile Co. Our black goods cannot be excelled and prices—well you know us.

Annual Ohio Excursion VIA Vandalia-Pennsylvania Lines,

Thursday, Sept. 8, 1898.

Special train will leave Lakeville, Ind., at 9:00 p. m. on above date running through via Plymouth. Tickets will be sold to Canton, Alliance, Niles, Warren, Millersburg, Youngston, O., and other points. Rate $6.00 for the round trip with the exception of Youngstown which is $6.60. Tickets good returning for 30 days. Tickets can only be purchased at Lakeville or through that office. For further information address

MRS. M. C. RENSBERGER, Agent Vandalia line, Lakeville, Ind.

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South Haven excursion Sunday, Sept. 18. Fare for the round trip 35 cents.

Violets of Sicilley and Musk Rose are the latest and most lasting perfumes.

READY FOR BIDS.

Naval Board Recommends Building of Torpedo Boats.

Washington, Sept. 9—The naval board of construction has agreed on the recommendations made concerning awards for building torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers. The Union Iron works of San Francisco will undoubtedly secure the contract.

Will Not Serve.

Madrid, Sept. 9—Senor Castillo has determined not to serve on the peace commission even though the refusal cost him his ambassadorship to France. He is coming to Madrid to inform the government of his intention.

Brigadier Gen. Kemp Dead.

Washington, Sept. 9—Brigadier Gen. John Kemp, retired, died today. Heat prostration and heart trouble was the cause.

The Markets.

Chicago, Sept., 9—The markets closed today as follows: Wheat, 63⅞; corn 30¾; oats, 20⅛; rye, 45.

The cool rains have changed the temperature of the atmosphere and the subject of jackets is common. The Enterprise Mercantile Co., will have the exclusive sale of the celebrated Biefield jackets for ladies, misses and children and the new styles are arriving. We will be pleased to show these garments at any time and invite you to examine them whether you intend purchasing now or not. The Biefeld jackets are noted for style and quality and on jackets we will save you money.

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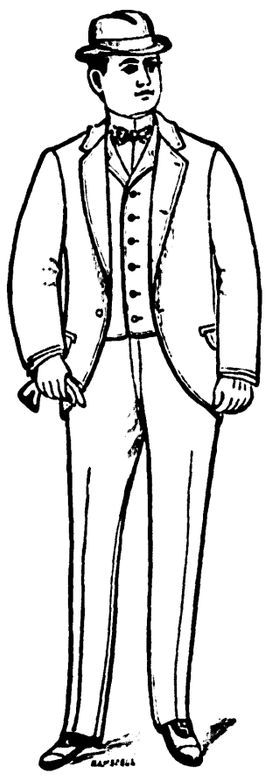
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet



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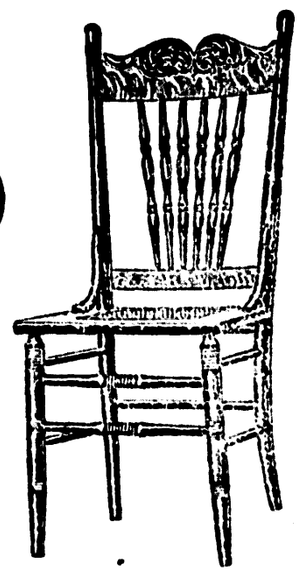
Come and investigate, we have confidence in your eyesight and good sense. We advertise the plain, unvarnished facts. Anything else is foolish. "Robs us of our good name and makes us poor indeed."



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Special for This Week.

TWO DIFFERENT DESIGNS.

Oceans of new goods for fall trade constantly arriving and hundreds of special bargains we shall force on to the market for lack of room.

Remember we have the largest and most complete stock of house furnishing goods in Southwestern Michigan.

Burglars never bother us, our prices are so low it's better to buy than take the risk.

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107 E. Main Street, opposite John T. Owens'.

Ready for Business

Thursday, Sept. 8

Blue Front Bargain Store

On Wednesday, August 24, it was decided not to run the Yellow Front store on Pipestone street any longer as the firm of S. A. & J. M. Conger, so the stock was divided up equally as the interest of J. M. Conger wouldn't be bought out and a store was rented by S. A. Conger. We had to place the goods in storage for the past 10 days until a location could be found. We now wish to announce that we have rented the store formerly occupied by Brown's grocery in the Hurlburd block, East Main street, and will open Thursday, Sept. 8, for business with a large assortment of Second-Hand Goods and also new goods, such as Stands, Extension Tables, Mattresses, Springs, etc., at lowest prices in the city. We are ready to buy at any time Stoves, Furniture, Novels, etc., and pay the highest market prices for same.

Don't buy till you see or don't sell till you have us look at your goods...

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